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Art Unit 1645

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For LARGE SCALE EXPRESSION AND PURIFICATION OF
RECOMBINANT PROTEINS

Examiner P. Paras, Jr.

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AMENDMENT B

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

In response to the Office action mailed October 18, 2002, please enter the following amendments in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 17 on page 10 with the following:

In a further embodiment, an immunogenic capture system is employed. Such systems include an antigenic sequence (and optionally a cleavage site) such as the DYKDDDDK sequence (SEQ. ID. NO. 3) disclosed in Hopp et al (1991) U.S. Patent No. 5,011,912, or Hopp et al (1987) U.S. Patent No. 4,703,004 or the DLYDDDDK sequence (SEQ. ID. NO. 4). The immunogenic tag allows the protein to which it is attached to be purified based upon its affinity for an antibody.

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